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TAGS: EAIR, BB

SUBJ: REQUEST FOR FAA STANDARDS FOR D.A.C. HERON

REF: BRIDGETOWN 0983

- 1. FAA ADVISES THAT NO FAA STANDARDS PRESCRIBE SPECIFIC RUNWAY LENGTHS FOR AIRCRAFT.
- 2. FAA AIRWORTHINESS STANDARDS DO PRESCRIBE THE FLIGHT TESTING METHODS WHICH MUST BE USED IN DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF RUNWAY NEEDED TO SAFELY OPERATE A PARTICULAR

AIRCRAFT UNDERGOING CERTIFICATION TESTING. THE PERFORMANCE DATA IS MADE A PART OF THE AIRPLANE FLIGHT MANUAL FOR USE BY THE FLIGHT CREW IN ACTUAL OPERATION.

3. U.S. AIRWORTHINESS STANDARDS FOR CERTIFICATION ARE CONTAINED IN 14 CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS, PART 23 AND 25. PART 23 IS FOR AIRCRAFT WEIGHING LESS THAN 12,500 POUNDS; PART 25 APPLIES TO AIRCRAFT WEIGHING 12,500 POUNDS OR MORE.

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4. HERON, IN USE BY PRINAIR, IS BUILT BY DE HAVILLAND

CO. OF THE U.K. IT RECEIVED TYPE-CERTIFICATION UNDER U.S. CIVIL AIR REG 10 (PRE-1958) WHICH HAS BEEN ACCEPTED

BY FAA AS EQUIVALENT TO U.S. AIRWORTHINESS CERTIFICATION FOR THAT CATEGORY OF AIRPLANES. IT MAY BE OPERATED UNDER APPLICABLE FEDERAL AVIATION REGULATIONS. NO U.S. EQUIVALENT TYPE-CERTIFICATE HAS BEEN ISSUED TO THOSE HERON AIRCRAFT BUILT BY DEHAVILLAND OF CANADA BECAUSE NO REQUEST HAS EVER BEEN MADE. KISSINGER

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